

## AMENDMENTS IN THE SPECIFICATION

*Please replace the paragraph [0001] with the following:*

The present invention is related to the subject matter of the following commonly assigned, copending United States patent application: Serial No. 10/750,594 (Docket No. RPS920030206US1) entitled "Method for Securely Creating An Endorsement Certificate in an Insecure Environment" and filed December 31, 2003.